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NEWS FROM OTTAWA.

A STATUE TO BE ERECTED IN MEMORY OF SIR JOHN.

The Vancouver Dock and Ship Building Company Incorporated—Sir Hector Will not Give Them Access to False Creek—Other News.

OTTAWA, June 17.—An act to incorporate the Vancouver Dock and Ship Building Company has passed the railway committee with some amendments. Langevin refused to give them access to False Creek, because other companies and individuals had been bidding for that point also. He said that the Government could do nothing further than was provided for by statute, but he understood the city of Vancouver would grant a subsidy.

Prior asked for the postponement of the Victoria, Saanich & New Westminster Railway bill.

To be an Offering of the People.

OTTAWA, June 16.—It is proposed to erect a statue at the Capital in memory of Sir John Macdonald. In order that this may be an offering of the people, amounts from 25 cents to $200 will be received, the latter being the highest from any one individual. Lady Macdonald continues to receive scores of telegrams and letters of condolence. It is understood that she has not yet made her plans for the future, but there are in circulation well defined rumors that she may take up her residence in England.

One of Tupper's Schemes.

MONTREAL, June 17.—The collapse of the Waterwarks and Gas Works Company, of London, is announced in a dispatch received from London. Sir Charles Tupper was one of the directors. He was severely censured in parliament for being connected with the concern. It had a capital of £500,000. The object of the company was to purchase properties in the United States and Canada.

A Boy Divulges a Secret.

FORT SMITH, Ark., June 17.—A double murder, committed Feb. 18, 1890, has just been unearthed through the agency of a boy named Sherman Phelps. The crime was committed on the Cherokee strip, near the mouth of the Cimaron river. The boy implicates six men, Jno. Bird, Sherman Westmorland, Wilder Westmorland, Geo. Auspaw, John Cagle and Noah Westmorland, who, he says, committed the murder for the purpose of robbery. Two men, whose names are unknown, aged 25 and 43 years, stopped at Westmorlands to buy some corn, offering to pay for it with a $20 bill. Westmorland could not make the change, but gave the strangers the corn, at the same time asking them to stay long enough to go into the woods and shoot some turkeys The proposition was accepted. When about three miles from Westmorland House, the strangers being in advance of the party, they were fired upon by the six men and instantly killed. Their bodies were weighted with heavy stones and thrown into the river. The boy was with the party and was a witness to the wholesale murder, and was threatened with death if he told of the murders, and through fear kept his secret until a few days ago. Deputy U. S. Marshals White, Toes and Connelly returned this afternoon from the scene of the crime, having in charge John Bird, John Cagle and Bud Westmorland. They were lodged in the United States jail to await further developments.

Disappointed Pilgrims.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 16.—The Union station all day Monday and to-day has been crowded with incurables on their way home from Father Mollinger's chapel and residence on Troy Hill. The majority of these unfortunates are a perfectly disappointed lot. They came here firmly believing that the noted priest possessed supernatural healing power, though he has never made such claims himself. Most of them were very poor people, who had spent their last money to make the trip to Troy Hill. Some were carried to the train on stretchers, while others came to the depot on crutches and wheeled chairs. Father Mollinger was a very busy man yesterday. About 1000 of his patients were escorted into his presence before their departure for his final blessing. He will not complete the religious feature of his treatment until Wednesday. While a great majority have been but little benefited, others report what seem like almost miraculous cures.

Hippolyte Reported Shot.

NEW YORK, June 17.—First mate W. Bishoff of the steamship Alva, which arrived from Haytian ports to-day, states that on June 6 the vessel, which had been at Port au Prince during the insurrection, reached Navassa, and reported that President Hippolyte had been shot and killed by one of the insurgents. The report had not yet been further substantiated when the Alva sailed away. The story of revolt and subsequent murder of Rignand, which this vessel brought, agreed with the reports which have already been published.

A Drunken Carousal.

WILMINGTON, Del., June 17.—The lifeless body of Wm. Butcher, a painter, was found lying in the front room of his house early this morning. His throat was cut. Edward Butcher, a brother of the dead man, was found lying near the corpse in a drunken state. He was arrested on suspicion of having been implicated in his brother's death. The two brothers and James Quale, and two Italians were carousing in the house all night. The coroner is investigating.

Dual Guardianship.

GLOUSTER, Mass., June 17.—Captain Jas. Forrest has just arrived from a fishing trip. He reports that British and French war ships are guarding the fisheries at Bay St. George. He says that while both war vessels were in port an American fishermen was allowed to purchase bait, but upon the departure of the English vessel the French commander ordered all American vessels to leave the harbor.

ORDERED TO BEHRING SEA.

H. M. S. Nymphe Will Proceed to Behring Sea Early Next Week.

The news received from Washington, in regard to the agreement between the British and American governments as to a close season in Behring Sea during the present year, was to-day confirmed from British sources. Capt. Turner, of H.M.S. Nymphe, received a telegram this forenoon, instructing him to proceed to the north and there to carry out his instructions, which are understood to be of the same character as those given by the Washington government to the U. S. cutters. It has also been learned that H.M.S. Porpoise, a cruiser on the China station, has been ordered to the same place, the two ships to meet at a point in Behring Sea previously agreed upon. Immediately upon receiving the dispatch, Capt. Turner began preparations for the voyage.

Capt. Turner, of the Nymphe, could not be seen by the TIMES reporter, but it was ascertained that orders had been received for a three months' cruise, presumably in Behring Sea. The Nymphe coaled this morning and will be ready to sail in about ten days.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The following portion of the orders telegraphed from Washington to the U. S. revenue cutter Corwin, has been made public:

Before sailing get orders from Commercial Company at San Francisco for coal at Unalaska. After two weeks' cruising in the neighborhood of the Pribylof Islands rendezvous at Sand Point, Popoff Island, one of the Shumagin group, with the Thetis and Alert, and wait there further instructions by the Marion. Furnish a copy of the order to the commanding officer of the Alert, and tell him to comply with it. The commanding officer of the Mohican is ordered to proceed to Behring Sea, with all dispatch to the vicinity of the Pribylof Islands immediately on receipt of printed copies of the President's proclamation. The Thetis will proceed at once directly to Sand Point, Popoff Island, a favorite rendezvous of sealers, to distribute copies of the proclamation to those found there. The Alert will also promptly proceed to Alaskan waters and will be followed later on by the Marion, with any subsequent instructions that may be framed.

The Cutter Corwin Sails.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The revenue cutter Corwin took coal this morning, and sailed for the Pribyloff Islands this afternoon. Capt. Hooper carried the President's proclamation, ordering a closed season. This he will distribute to all sealing vessels, commanders of all United States vessels and British war or revenue vessels. The Corwin will coal at Ounalaska, and after a two weeks' cruising in the neighborhood of the Pribyloff Islands will rendezvous at Sand Point with the other revenue cutters. According to instructions from Washington, the Alert, Thetis, Marion and Mohican, are to proceed at once to Alaska to enforce the closed season. The enforcement of the order is likely to devolve upon the Corwin and Bear, however for some time to come. The Thetis and Mochian cannot obtain crews, and the Alert will not be in condition to go to sea for some time to come.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Appropriation Tied up—Mining Chief Skiff Confirmed.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—State Controller Colgan has announced that he will refuse to sign warrants granting $300,000 to the California World's fair commission for a state exhibit. He bases his action on a provision of state constitution which says that no money shall be appropriated for the benefit of any association or institution not under the exclusive control of the state. He claims that the California World's fair commission is not exclusively under state control, but looks to the national commission for authority. The case will be tested in the courts.

CHICAGO, June 15.—The board of control of the National World's Fair commission has confirmed the appointment of Skiff as chief of the mines and mining department. H. C. Ives, of St. Louis, was confirmed as chief of the fine arts department. The surprise of the session was when the question came up on the confirmation of General Chapman, of California, nominated by Director-General Davis, and confirmed by the local directory for chief of the horticultural bureau. He was unanimously rejected on motion of St. Clair, of West Virginia, seconded by Commissioner Massey.

PARIS, June 15.—The minister of marine says that the appropriation for the Chicago fair was discussed at a recent cabinet meeting. Minister Roche asked each minister to send in an estimate of the money necessary for a worthy exhibit of his special department. The total was found to be over a million francs. "So we shall ask the chamber," said Barabri, "to vote about 1,200,000 francs. Doubtless the chamber will accede."

Among the reports from the United States consuls with regard to foreign representation at the Chicago fair Goldschmidt, at Vienna, says: "Austria will be well represented. There is no apathy toward the exhibition here." H. G. Knowles, at Bordeaux, says: "The majority of persons with whom I conversed are favorably inclined towards the fair. Bordeaux has large interests in the United States, and when the time arrives her commercial men will take an active part." W. T. Griffin, consul at Limoges, says: "Most of the people fear the long journey to Chicago. That alone will deter a large show of the china industry, which is the greatest here."

An ice cream freezer, egg-beater, and 50 cent cook book for $2.25 at McLennan & McFeely's.

RIOT THREATENED.

GERMANY SHORT OF CORN AND FAMINE IMMINENT.

Plenty of Provisions on the Russian Frontier Waiting for the Heavy Duty to be Raised—People of Alsace-Lorraine Still Loyal to France.

LONDON, June 17.—This morning's advices from Berlin says that the price of corn continues to rise, and that in some of the more thickly populated localities the scarcity almost amounts to a famine to the poor. A socialist meeting at Dortmond last night almost broke out into a riot, the people demanding the suspension of the corn duties so earnestly as to provoke the attention of the police. It is said that vast quantities of corn are stored at various places on the Russian frontier, awaiting the lifting of the duties in order to enter the German market. Caprivi fears that this Russian corn would come in such quantities as not only to supply present needs, but also destroy the future trade in German corn. Every day along the Russian frontier, throngs of Germans pass over the line to the Russian villages in the vicinity and there make purchases at much cheaper rates than in Germany. They are permitted to cross the frontier without the annoyance of an inspection, provided their purchases come within a certain amount made free by law. This amount is, however, quite large enough for a family for a day or two.

IN ALSACE-LORRAINE.

The strengthening of the garrisons in Alsace-Lorraine is being rapidly pushed. One reason for this is that the soldiers are required in increasing numbers as sentries, etc., to enforce the passport regulations with the new rigor recently infused by the Kaiser, but notwithstanding the sentries and their instructions, the Alsace and Lorrainers continue to pine for France and lose no ready opportunity to deceive their conquerors and prove their contempt for German officialism. It is said that not less than one-third of the young men of Lorraine are now in the French armies and ardent for the war that may liberate the territory severed from France.

SYNAGOGUES CLOSED.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says that the closing of the synagogues in that city is regarded by the Jews as a final blow at their race. The synagogue is a handsome and comparatively ancient specimen of architecture, and its existence was often pointed to by the friends of Russia as evidence that the charges about the persecution of the Jews were greatly exaggerated. The closing of the synagogues goes to show that the rich as well as the poor Hebrews are included in the imperial ban.

HOW THE CZAR TRAVELS.

The Czar's journey to Livania, to meet the German duke, George, was attended with the most extraordinary precautions, irrespective of the comfort and convenience of the general public. The passenger trains were shunted off on a siding, all the windows were closed and the doors locked, and the passengers were warned not to show themselves outside the carriages until after the Czar's train had safely passed. Each door on the train was guarded by a soldier. The passengers' train remained stationery for two hours before being permitted to go ahead. The sufferings of some of the inmates of the train are said to be terrible. In one instance a mother and babe, the latter a weakling, were unable to obtain the necessary assistance of a physician, and the child perished, obviously on that account. The poor mother, with the dead child in her arms, went insane over her loss.

A LOGICAL SUNDAY LAW.

The latest Russian regulation is an order by the Holy Synod that members of the Greek church must attend church on Sundays. Policemen are to be detailed near all large manufacturing establishments to see that the order is obeyed.

Labor Commission.

LONDON, June 17.—The Royal Labor Commission to-day held its first public meeting at Westminster Hall. The commission is investigating the tea industry at London and Indian dock, and is examining a number of laborers employed at these docks.

The ex-Empress Eugenie.

PARIS, June 17.—La Presse, a Boulangist, says that it is rumored the Government has determined to request ex-Empress Eugenie to shorten her stay in Paris.

A Parnellite Candidate.

LONDON, June 17.—E. Dwyer Gray has been invited by Parnell to contest the seat made vacant by the death of O'Gorman Mahon.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Plan of Newcastle Townsite—An Enterprising Citizen—Mine Accidents.

NANAIMO, June 17.—The E. & N. Railway Company has, at the present time, 72 men employed on Newcastle townsite in opening up new roads through the piece of property which they are offering for sale, and which contains 426 lots. The plan circulated by G. Byrnes throughout the city has been much commented on.

NELSON ISLAND QUARRY.

It has been announced in this city by a traveler from Nelson Island that it is the intention of the Nelson Island Granite Quarry Company to close down for a few months.

AN ENTERPRISING CITIZEN.

Mr. J. Mahrer has just completed the purchase of what is known as Earle's block, situated on the corner of Church and Commercial streets, and adjoining the opera house, of which he is the proprietor. The price paid for this piece of property was $13,000 and is considered a bargain. Mr. Mahrer, who has always shown an enterprising disposition, intends to put an addition to the opera house and also make some wonderful changes in that building which will be more convenient to the public. It is also his intention to increase the size of the stage and add a few new scenes to its present large assortment.

ACCIDENTS IN THE MINES.

A miner, named W. Weeks, was severely injured in No. 1 shaft yesterday, while lowering a box of coal from his room, which, unfortunately, jammed him against the rib and injured him internally. Dr. Praeger attended to his injuries and announced them to be of a serious nature.

Johnny, a member of the Salvation Army, met with an accident in the Southfield mine yesterday and had to be taken home. His injuries were caused by his leg being crushed between two boxes, and although no bones were broken, still he suffers very keenly from the accident. It will be a few weeks before either of the above are enabled to get around again.

AMONG THE BUSINESS MEN.

Messrs. Field & Demster will shortly occupy the store now held by Caldwell & Lewis, and which will be especially fitted up to suit their business.

Mr N. Foster, has taken Simpson's vacant store, which he intends to open as a music establishment, for which it is felt there is a great need.

It is rumored there is a syndicate forming to purchase the whole of Bastion street, but how true cannot be learned at this hour of writing.

Mr. Quill opens his establishment with a grand show of jewelry on Saturday next, and no doubt he will do a fair business.

LITTLE HAPPENINGS.

The M.&M. L.P.A., have ordered a large number of funeral badges with which they will be adorned when attending a funeral of any member of the order.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will hold their annual picnic on Newcastle Island on Saturday, providing the weather will permit.

As the train from Wellington was coming in this morning a tree was discovered lying across the track. Fortunately it was discovered in time, and soon removed without delaying the passengers long.

Mr. T. Keller, was nearly killed at Wellington on Sunday by a vicious horse, which bolted while he was unhitching him and dashed him against the fence, breaking his collar bone and splitting his head open badly.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE RING.

SLAVIN WINS.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The glove contest for a purse of $10,000, of which $2500 goes to the loser, between Frank P. Slavin, of Australia, and Jake Kilrain, ended in the ninth round, Jere Dunn, the referee, refusing to give a decision. An electric time gong, similar to that used in the Corbett-Jackson fight at San Francisco, had been put in position. At the beginning of the contest the referee told the men that they were to be governed solely by the ringing of the gong, and were to pay no attention to what any person said. In the ninth round, Slavin struck Kilrain a savage blow in the jaw that sent him down. John Kelly, the time-keeper, lost his head, and yelled that 10 seconds had transpired before Kilrain got up. When he heard the gong Kilrain was on his feet. Kelly said that 14 seconds had elapsed, and Charley Mitchell, on behalf of Slavin, claimed the fight. Dunn refused to render a decision until he can get the testimony of the managers of the club and the newspaper men present as to whether Kilrain was on his feet when the gong sounded. Slavin had decidedly the best of the fight after the second round, and it was evident that Kilrain couldn't last much longer.

THE SLUGGERS' OPINIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Corbett returned from the north to-day, when asked if he would meet Slavin he said that he would like to see Slavin battle first with Jackson and if Sullivan is then out of the ring he would meet the winner.

John L. Sullivan was seen to-day. He says the result of last night's fight was no more than he expected. Kilrain has never recovered from the whipping I gave him and he never will. Slavin knew his weak points and took advantage of them and accordingly won the fight.

LACROSSE.

The Victoria Lacrosse Club held a special meeting last evening which was largely attended. It was decided that it would be impossible to play in Vancouver on July 1, but the invitation to play at Fairhaven on July 4 was accepted. The scheduled match with Westminster on June 20 was accepted and the club will go over on Friday night. The meeting adjourned until the 25th inst., when the Victoria Juniors will give their decision as to the proposed amalgamation.

AQUATICS.

WANTS A FAIR COURSE.

The following dispatch received this morning speaks for itself:

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16th.

F. Campbell—Peterson has been advised and will not row on Fraser River. He will, however, row on Shawnigan Lake, or any other fair course. I leave to-morrow overland.

J. MUIRHEAD.

BASEBALL.

T. H. Baker, manager of the Amities, returned from Port Townsend last night. While there he made partial arrangements for a game between his nine and the Colts on July 4th. The James Bays and Victorias will play a game at Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon.

THE TURF.

A meeting of the Jockey Club was held last evening to attend to matters financial.

LETTER FROM JAPAN.

AFTER THE ATTACK ON THE RUSSIAN PRINCE.

The Emperor and People Exert Themselves to the Utmost to Undo the Insult—Extraordinary Efforts to Please the Royal Youth—The Attention Appreciated.

From Our Own Correspondent.

TOKYO, Japan, May 27.—Considerable excitement has prevailed since the accident to the Russian prince, the particulars of which I wrote you last mail. It is now pretty generally believed that the policeman who lifted up his sword against H. I. H. was demented. His past record favors the verdict very strongly. His trial is now taking place at Kyoto, and it is thought he will atone for his crime by the extremest penalty of the law. The Emperor, who proceeded from Tokyo to visit the wounded prince, remained with him until his departure for Russia. Nothing was left undone by Emperor and people to palliate, if possible, the insult which the future king of all the Russians received while visiting in their domains. Committees representing every city and village and country seat flocked into Kyoto with messages of condolence. Presents of "gold, frankiusense and myrrh," and rice and sake sake (wine), were heaped upon the distinguished guests. The Emperor and his cabinet conferred their imperial badges of honor. The two princes were literally besieged with gifts and endowments, for when Japan makes up her mind to make the *amende honorable*, she can do it to perfection. It was universally hoped that the prince would continue his visit in Japan. The people of Tokyo were particularly anxious. A score or more telegrams passed between Russia and Japan, till finally the Czar decided that it would be better for his son to return at once to his native land. This decision was a sad blow to Japan. She was already baptizing the dust with tears, but this caused her to hide her very face in the dust she was thus baptizing. The press sent up a long wail of lamentation, while the whole populace put on the sackcloth of mourning.

At last the day was fixed for the departure of the Prince. The Emperor went to Kobe and prepared a great feast for the last night. Unfortunately the ship's surgeons would not give their royal patient permission to go ashore, and so once more Japan was humiliated. The Emperor and a select few were, however, invited to a luncheon by the Prince, and so the two Highnesses broke bread together and parted in warm friendship. The next day, as the Prince sailed away, the Emperor returned to Tokyo and was welcomed by the whole city in magnificent style. His subjects thought that their beloved Majesty had never done his duty so well and faithfully. Indeed, he richly deserved the reception.

But I must, before closing, tell you about the Inirikisha men. I mean the men who were putting the Prince in their carriage at the time of the accident. It was this timely and courageous interference which no doubt saved the life of the Czarwich. No sooner had the policeman struck the blow when these coolies dropped the handles of the kuruma and rushed upon the assailant, and hurling him violently to the ground, immediately unarmed the fellow and tied him hand and foot. For this brave deed the Emperor was pleased to bestow the rank of *seventh man* upon the bare-legged coolies, with an annual pension of $36 each. The Russian prince, however, invited the brave fellows aboard his ship, made a feast for them, pinned a gold medal to the breast of each, put $2500 in the pocket of each, together with an annual allowance of $1000 each, and before their departure had a large photo taken of the astonished coolies, with which to decorate the cabin of his warship. After all, Mr. Editor, is it not better to be born lucky than rich? Think of it—two poor, ignorant coolies, struggling to earn their 5 or 10 sen a day, suddenly made so rich as this will mean in Japan, and especially for such as they. No wonder the *kurumaya* think it is all a dream. Faithfully yours,

J. W. WADMANS.

OBITUARY.

Three Prominent Residents of Quebec Passed Peacefully Away.

Sir Andrew Stuart, ex-Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, died at Quebec on the 9th inst., of effusion of blood on the brain. He was 79 years of age and had only recently embraced the Roman Catholic faith. Legal and judicial talent, so to speak ran through his blood. His father, the late Andrew Stuart, Q.C., was solicitor-general for Lower Canada just before the Union, and Sir James Stuart, Bart., was for many years chief justice of the Court of Queen's bench for Lower Canada. He never took any prominent part in politics. In 1886, during the illness of Lieut-Governor Masson, he was made provincial administrator and again in 1887. He was knighted on May 9, 1887. Sir Andrew had four sons and four daughters. The late MacNabb Stuart, of this city, was a son of the deceased.

A well-known Montrealer passed away on the 9th, in the person of Mr. Gilbert Scott. He not only was a well-known man in mercantile circles, but was very popular amongst the brethren of the mystic craft. Mr. Scott was 71 years of age, and he had resided in Montreal since 1845. After being here a few years he became a partner in the firm of Messrs. Wm. Dow & Co., and at the time of his death he was president of the Intercolonial Coal Mining Co., vice-president of the Shedden Co., and a director of the Bank of Montreal, to which he was elected a few weeks ago, the North British & Mercantile Insurance Company and the Canada Sugar Refining Company. The deceased was born in Chagford, Devonshire, England. In Montreal on the 9th inst., Mr. John Lewis, the well-known and popular Customs surveyor, passed away peacefully, after an illness of a little over a week. Mr. Lewis was born in Caerwys, North Wales, on May 17, 1820, and he came to Montreal in 1841 in the capacity of a customs officer. On the death of Mr. B. Holmes, in 1865, he was appointed deputy collector, and he performed his duties in this position with such ability and energy that he would afterwards have been promoted to the position of collector, if efficiency of service, instead of seniority of grade, had had been taken into consideration. His kindliness of heart, and his invariable suavity of manner won for him the esteem and affection of all with whom he was brought in contact.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Pirates Kill Russian Soldiers—Financial Panic at Buenos Ayres.

BATOUM, June 15.—A boat containing five Russian soldiers last night met a strange boat manned by pirates. The officer in command of the soldiers ordered the pirates to lay to. They answered with a volley, which killed four soldiers. The survivor managed to pull ashore and a boat manned by four soldiers was sent out. After two of them were killed and the other two wounded, a third boat was sent out, only to find that the pirates had got away. A gunboat has gone in pursuit.

LONDON, June 15.—The German professors, Virchow and Mommsen, accuse German anti-Semitism of being the origin of the Russian persecution of the Jews. A dispatch from Odessa says that many Baptists and Studists have been banished from the Caucasus and deprived of their children. The latter are to be educated in the orthodox faith. It is reported that similar acts have been committed in other parts of the country.

LONDON, June 15.—In the Commons to-day William Henry Smith, the Government leader, moved that for the remainder of the session Government matters would precede all others. He said all would be dropped except the Irish land bill, education, factories, the public health and the renewal of gold coinage bills. Labouchere protested, but the motion was adopted. The Irish land purchase bill passed the third reading by a vote of 225 to 96.

NEW YORK, June 15.—According to a cable received in this city to-day, gold in Buenos Ayres has fallen to 360. This puts it at a premium of 280. Within the past month it has gone as high as 345 premium. National Bank shares are quoted at 27 and 28. All business is at a standstill, the people waiting to see what the new congress will do. It is believed that nothing can save the National Banks.

BERLIN, June 15.—The illness from which Prince Bismarck is suffering is now said to be rheumatism of the spine. He has been confined to his bed for three days past, and has been suffering acutely.

PARIS, June 16.—A conflict has arisen between the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies, the latter insisting that the reduction of cereal duties shall not go into operation until August.

BERLIN, June 15.—The Upper House of the Prussian Diet has passed a bill restoring to the Roman Catholic dioceses the funds seized at the time of the kulturkampf.

LONDON, June 16.—The O'Gorman Mahon, M.P. for Carlow is dead. He was born in 1803, and was known as "The Grand Old Man" of the Irish party.

LONDON, June 16.—The Irish land purchase bill to-day passed a first reading in the House of Lords. The second reading is fixed for the 25th inst.

MANNHEIM, June 16.—The number of killed in the railway bridge accident at Basle is known to be 130, and the injured 300.

SHANGHAI, June 15.—The Emperor's edict orders the beheading of all persons implicated in the recent riots and massacres.

RIEL'S REMAINS

Have Been Exhumed, and the Metis are Said to be Wild Over the Report.

L'Electeur publishes the following interesting item sent by a Montreal correspondent. Forget, of Manitoba, who arrived in Montreal a few days ago relates an incident which caused quite a sensation among the Metis of the Northwest. Lately for some reason or other the remains of Louis Riel were exhumed and to the great surprise of all present the body of the Metis leader was found to be in perfect preservation. It will soon be six years since Louis Riel was buried. The news of this strange discovery spread like wildfire among the Metis of the Northwest, whom it confirms in their innocent belief that the leader will soon rise from the dead.

The Canadian Sabbath.

Speaking in the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, Rev. Dr. Doran of Kentucky, expressed his delight at the quiet of the Canadian Sabbath, and the sobriety and orderliness of Canadian cities. He said he was told there were some Canadians who favored annexation to the United States. If those people knew the vice and wickedness of some of the large cities across the border they would never talk of annexation.

Five Years' Medical Course.

The Medical Council of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario, have made some important changes in the curriculum. An additional year was added to the present four years' course. In the future there will be one more examination, oral and clinical only. The doctors have found out that they did not learn enough during four years at college.

Manitoba's Crop Area.

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	8.00	2.00	McPHERSON'S	30	5.00	9.30	
	8.15	2.15	COBBLE HILL	36	5.15	9.45	
	8.30	2.30	DUNCAN'S	42	5.30	10.00	
	8.45	2.45	KOKSILAH	48	5.45	10.15	
	9.00	3.00	COMIAKEN	54	6.00	10.30	
	9.15	3.15	CHEMAINUS	60	6.15	10.45	
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Bute Inlet Route.

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"PLAIN TALK TO CANADA."

What the New York Tribune Has to Say About Reciprocity.

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Not much that is new has been added to what was already known concerning the progress of the trade negotiations between our Government and that of the Dominion by the dispatches given out yesterday at Ottawa. They show, simply, that cordial relations were established at Washington by the Canadian Commissioners, and that the negotiations will be resumed in October in a spirit that indicates a desire on both sides to come to an agreement. All the correspondence in Canada's possession that has a real value to the public was withheld from yesterday's publication. The missing papers undoubtedly were those wherein Secretary Blaine expressed the terms on which the negotiations must be based. We can well understand the indisposition of the Dominion Government to give out these letters just now. They would show, we suspect, that Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper have already committed themselves to a measure of reciprocity much larger and broader than they defined as their policy during the late electoral campaign. That they should be obliged to do this if they really desired to perfect a treaty, was plainly put in Mr. Blaine's published letter to Congressman Baker, and when the time comes they will learn that the length to which they must go is about as far as the Commercial Unionists have all along prescribed. This is an appropriate opportunity for

SOME PLAIN SPEAKING

to our Canadian friends. They know, or ought to know that the American people without party distinctions earnestly desire to be on the friendliest terms with them. Their character, as a highly moral, intelligent, industrious, law respecting, progressive and enterprising people is perfectly well known to us, and by us much esteemed. We gave them from 1865 to 1873 the best proof that we could give that we entertained no designs upon their territory. But a trade treaty is as pure a matter of business as a contract to buy and sell between individuals, and it is to be looked at practically. The first impressive fact in the situation is that for natural and climatic reasons Canada cannot supply us with nothing that we do not ourselves possess. She sends us no product of much importance of which we do not have a native surplus to export, and absolutely not a single product in such quantities as to make the market price here, so that the Canadian exporter obtains what terms we give him and pays the duty out of his own pocket. On the other hand, of Canadian importations we already supply the greater part. In 1890 we supplied 43 per cent., England only 36, and our export trade steadily increases while England's as steadily declines. What inducement, then, have we to make any radical change in the present situation? In his admirable West Durham address

MR. EDWARD BLAKE

said what we presume every Canadian agrees with, and what is the real occasion of the pending negotiation, that "unrestricted free trade with the States, secured for a long term of years, would greatly advance our most material interests and help our natural, our largest, most substantial, and most promising industries; it would create an influx of population and capital, and promote a rapid development of forces and materials now almost unused; in three words, it would give us men, money and markets." Mr. Blake speaks of "unrestricted free trade," but it is obvious that if the advantages he so attractively describes would flow from free trade pure and simple they would also flow in a measure from any concessions in the direction of free trade that the United States might make. In other words, by just so much as we unlock the doors, whether upon Sir John Macdonald's limited plan or upon Mr. Blake's unrestricted plan, we develop and build up Canada. The men, money and markets are either drawn from us directly or drawn from the rest of the world as the result of the commercial relation with us. Why should this be asked? Why should we be invited to transform Toronto into Liverpool, Montreal into Birmingham, Winnipeg into Manchester? Is it to perpetuate British authority in North America, to create a rich, numerous, and powerful nation upon our borders whose attitude toward us will be directed and controlled in Downing street? Mr. Blake says that this is what it will do, and we do not doubt that he is right, but why should we do it?

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are opposed not to England, not to any other European power—in Europe, where they belong. We are opposed to the transfer upon American soil of institutions that are not in harmony with popular sovereignty, and we are especially opposed to the interference of any European power in American issues. It is not necessary to any proper trade relation between Europe and American nations, and it certainly is not necessary to any proper political relation. We have not the slightest disposition to dictate to Canada where she shall lodge her sovereignty, and we have for her and with her only the warmest sentiments of friendship. There is no height of prosperity to which we should not wish her to attain as an American community—no height, indeed, to which she could not have our hearty co-operation in attaining if she chose to place herself in harmony with the rest of the continent. But it is far from clear to us that it should be our part to develop a neighboring nation, whose industrial and political system is patterned from those that we most avoid, and whose power, drawn from our good-fellowship, has been, is now being, and constantly would be, asserted to our disadvantage.

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An Englishman's Bad French Makes a Fortune at a French Race.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE REGISTERED householders and freeholders of Victoria City School District, will be held on MONDAY, the 22nd day of June, 1891, at the City Hall, commencing at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

By order of Board of Trustees.

je12-td R. ERSKINE, Secretary.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Subscribers (in accordance with the Act of Incorporation) will be held in the Council chamber at the City Hall, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 30th instant, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors and the Treasurer's statement of accounts for the current year; also for the election of twelve new Directors for the ensuing twelve months.

The twelve first Directors who retire, in accordance with the Act, are Hon. H. P. Crease, William C. Ward, A. A. Green, Charles E. Redfern, Charles Hayward, J. Stewart Yates, Alexander Wilson, A. C. Flummerfelt (vice James Fell, deceased) Thomas R. Smith, William M. Chudley, E. A. McQuade, Joshua Davies, all of whom, as original subscribers under the Act, are eligible for re-election.

A list of donors and subscribers eligible to vote for the election of twelve new Directors is posted at the City Hall, at the Hospital Building, and can also be seen at the office of the undersigned up to the date of the day of election.

By order of the Board,
H. M. YATES,
Secretary.
Government street, Victoria, B.C.,
14th June, 1891. je15td

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

Re Sandford James Martin.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an indenture dated and executed on the 22nd day of May, 1891, and made between Sandford James Martin, of Victoria, general dry goods and hardware dealer, of the first part, and Richard Edward Cooper, of Victoria, agent, and John Wilson Lawrence, of Toronto, clerk, of the second part, the said Sandford James Martin did grant, convey and assign all his real and personal property in British Columbia, except as therein mentioned, unto the said Richard Edward Cooper and John Wilson Lawrence, upon trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said Sandford James Martin.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Trustees.
Dated this 28th day of May, 1891. m28-1m

NOTICE.

On and after to-day, James Bay Bridge is closed, pending repairs.

By order, A. J. SMITH,
June 5th. Chairman Street Committee.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS ARE INVITED UP TO NOON Friday next, June 19th, 1891, for alterations to Half Way House, Esquimalt Road. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. B. TRIMMEN
je16-1d Architect.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO noon, Saturday, 20th inst., for the erection of a frame residence, facing Fort street, near Chestnut avenue.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE.
je13 Architect.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF THE Agricultural Association's Exhibition Building will be received up to 4 p.m. on Wednesday, June 24th, at my office. Plans and specifications may be obtained on application. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. CORNELIUS J. SOULE,
Architect,
je15td Turner Block, Douglas Street.

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je3 President.

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the Shuswap and Okanagon Railway Company for the election of directors, and other general purposes will be held at the office of Charles Wilson, Esq., Victoria, on Thursday, July 2, 1891, at 11 a.m.

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WANTED—A boy about 16 years of age to make himself generally useful. Apply at 28, George's Inn, Esquimalt Road. je16-3t

WANTED—A waitress at 171 Government street. ju15-1w

WANTED—Board and room for a lady and two children. Address C. A. J., TIMES office. je15-3t

WANTED—A nurse girl. Apply at No. 12 Scoresby street. je5

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TO LET—On Cook street, furnished rooms, with use of bath, hot and cold water. Apply at Moffat's Restaurant, corner Fort and Blanchard streets. je17-1t

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ESTATE OF ARTHUR PEATT, late of Colwood, Metchosin District. Creditors are requested to send in their claims, and debtors to pay in their accounts forthwith to the undersigned. WALKER, PEMBERTON & DUMBLETON, Barristers, etc., 18 & 20 Chancery Lane, Victoria.

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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail at the premises situate on the corner of Store and Discovery streets, Victoria City, known as the Western Hotel, to John Doherty, of the City of Victoria. W. H. SHEWAN.
Dated Victoria, 11th June, 1891. je11-1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Caledonian Saloon, on the corner of Cormorant and Store streets, to Joseph Muenier, Joseph H. Brown and Henry M. Fox.
J. CARPENTER.
Dated Victoria, June 2, 1891. je2

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the city of Victoria, at its next regular sitting, for a restaurant license, to sell by retail, wines and beer, at the building now being erected by the B. C. Land & Investment Agency, on Broad street, in the city of Victoria, and to be known as "The Balmoral Restaurant."
F. W. GARLAND.
Dated 16th day of May, 1891.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island in the Skeena River, about a quarter of a mile from Port Essington. R. G. JOHNSTON.
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These are the words of cheer and comfort a contemporary has for those who, after Sir JOHN, are fearful of the "deluge." The deluge was already at hand. Sir JOHN himself, as quick-eared and perhaps quicker than any of his contemporaries, heard its roar from afar, and took steps to stem it by dissolving Parliament. Sir JOHN hoped that with renewed lease of political life, and with the assistance of such adventitious circumstances as might turn up, to stave off the collapse of National Policy. His pet scheme he did not care to outlive. Let the deluge come, but not in his time. Not if he could help it did he propose to be swept away in the Johnstown flood of Liberalism which to his practiced ears was imminent.

The fear of the deluge which has taken hold of the Tories, now that their leader is gone, indicates how much more reliance they put on Sir JOHN'S tactical skill than on the intrinsic merits of their case. It is a poor policy that dies with its founder. If National Policy cannot exist without Sir JOHN, it does not deserve perpetuity. But what has Sir JOHN founded and what has he left us? He founded National Policy and has left it to Canada as his legacy, and Canada, like the French man who drew an elephant in a lottery, is at a loss what to do with it. Is this the kind of a legacy Canada wanted? Can Canada congratulate herself over falling heir to a windfall that has cost her a million of her sons and daughters since 1878, and which promises to be a bill of expense for the future. Sir JOHN'S works truly remain, but if we mistake not the problem at Ottawa just now is what to do with them that the tremendous assessment they incur in the shape of the "exodus" shall cease.

The deluge is inevitable. Liberalism, in contradistinction to Toryism, is the coming political force. The people propose to reign, not in the interest of empires, federations, crowned heads, ruling classes, snobs and toadies, but in the interest of themselves. The people have discovered their power and for a period, at least, propose to try the experiment of governing strictly for themselves. They have long enough pandered to the vanity of empire in the sense of the mere exercise of power.

What Sir JOHN has left us will go by the board. Inside of two years naught but the shadow of what he set up will remain. Canadian politics must conform to natural laws. Toryism has never yet beaten the laws of trade and self-interest and never will. And the deluge, had Sir JOHN lived, was inevitable. He himself saw it, and whilst he would have resisted it as long as there was a chance of stemming it, would, when hope died away, have gracefully submitted to what was neither more nor less than destiny.

COMPANY STORES.

The legislature of Illinois recently passed the "Truck Store bill" which makes it unlawful for any person, corporation or association engaged in mining or manufacturing to require their employees to trade at the "company store." The situation of the miners in Illinois, in respect of being compelled to trade at the company stores may be described as terrific. The wages of the miners were small in the first place, and in the second the prices the company charged for their goods were a third higher than was the case elsewhere. If the miner chose to defy his employers and went to the cashier and demanded his money it was paid him, but he was promptly discharged. The miners were the most abject and hopeless slaves. When the "pit boss" came along and told certain men that they must quit buying their groceries off regular merchants and begin patronage of the company concern he had no alternative but to comply or lose his job. Nor was the bad effect of this system confined to the miners alone. Stores in the mining districts which paid $75 per month in the days when miners were paid cash, and were free to buy their supplies wherever they chose, lost all value for renting purposes, and what were once thriving towns in the coal districts have practically ceased to exist. On the side of the mine owners it is claimed that the company store was inseparable from the operation of the mines. The competition in operating the mines had become so sharp, that even after all the items of saving they were able to compass, they found the profits of the business discouragingly small. This is a plausible tale. Indeed, we may suppose there is a good deal of truth in it. But why operate a mine under such circumstances? If business cannot be carried on except by enslaving people, making them desperate in their misery, why not shut up shop and wait for better times? The real truth of the matter is the different classes of society have no sympathy for each other. Capital is prone to use labor as though it was an inanimate machine, and labor retaliates by threatening anarchy. The different classes of society have no option but to be more solicitous of each other's welfare and happiness; without the due consideration for each other enjoined by common humanity and common morals there will be trouble some day. It is, in fact, at present brewing. And the example must be first set by employers. They must show more humanity. If they cannot carry on their business at a profit and pay good wages they should say so, and give their operatives the alternative of getting work or accepting such wages as they can afford to pay. No business exigency can possibly be made to justify the policy of the Illinois coal barons. The relief afforded the miners by the State Legislature came none too soon. What a man earns is his own, and the business which will not admit this principle is no longer a business but an instrument of tyranny and a fomenter of anarchy.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Montreal Star: No less than five expeditions are starting this summer for the discovery of the North Pole, while one only will make an endeavor to solve the mystery of the South Pole. The accepted theory is that there is an open sea at the north, and a continent at the South Pole, but there is really very little actual geographical knowledge on the subject. Of the five expeditions to the north, that of Lieut. PEARY, U.S.A., seems to be planned with the greatest possible chance of success. It is doubtful, however, whether it will succeed. In the end, we believe, the discovery of the pole will be made by pushing forward a series of posts, one taking the place of the other as the advance is made from the base of supplies. In this way constant communication could be kept up, and the goal arrived at by a systematic push forward on a carefully devised plan. Isolated expeditions, making a dash at the pole now and again, have to encounter many elements of failure with few chances of success.

Boston has a brand new system of street-cleaning; the city is divided into nine districts, and the foreman of each business section has about 200,000 square yards of paved street to take care of. The regular sweeping force is supplemented in the most crowded streets and squares by a "push cart patrol," the object of which is to clean up dirt and litter at frequent intervals during the day, and so keep the pavement always neat and presentable.

There is talk of another rebellion in Samoa. The natives somehow do not take any stock in the Berlin treaty, and they have another cause for complaint in the action of Baron Von PILSACH, president of the municipal council, who has created a dozen new offices. It is difficult to understand by what right Germany assumes the government of Samoa. The natives got along tolerably well before the Germans interfered, and they would probably continue to get along should the Germans vacate the premises.

A bill has been introduced in the British House of Commons which would empower coroners to hold inquests on fires the same as on deaths, and return verdicts for arson. The bill will be withdrawn, but will come up next session, the object of the mover being to give the members and the public a full opportunity of considering its provisions. The object of the proposed legislation seems to be a wise one. At the present time the coroners of London exercise the duty which the author of the bill holds should be discharged by all coronors. Formerly, indeed, enquiry into the cause of fires was a branch of the coroner's office, and it might be profitably revived, at all events in large cities.

Rev. FREDERICK H. WINES, a leader among prison reformers, has prepared for the American census a report upon the juvenile reformatories of the United States. The reformatory system has not attained a great growth among our neighbors, for the number of inmates in 1890 was only 14,846, an increase of 3478 in the decade. Of these inmates, 12,903 were white and 1943 colored. Mr. WINES remarks that of the penitentiary convicts, whose birthplace and parentage are known, the foreign-born element, the colored element and the native white element each furnished about one-third of all the inmates in our State prisons and penitentiaries; but in the juvenile reformatories the foreign population furnishes more than one-half, the native white population only about one-third, and the colored population about one-sixth.

The consensus of criticism seems to be that the baccarat exposure has fatally shaken the throne of England. The wish must be father to the thought. The proposition is too absurb to have its origin in any other source. Private habits have no more to do with the stability of thrones than they have with republics. The greatest rulers have invariably been addicted to gross and immoral private habits. Not a few American statesmen were inveterate poker players. DANIEL WEBSTER, in some of his private transactions, was not over scrupulous. The private lives of the world's great men laid bare would leave us no alternative but to believe that private vices have little or nothing to do with public actions. The throne of England is in no danger of collapse, nor will it ever be so long as the heir apparent, over and above his venial faults, has a level head. This the Prince of Wales has. If, in the future, it should come to pass that the throne should fall to an imbecile, somebody without one solitary moral and mental quality to recommend him, the chances are he would not be permitted to reign. Until that time comes, however, England will be ruled by responsible ministers, although ostensibly through a crowned head.

PROVINCIAL VOTERS.

Parties qualified to register as PROVINCIAL VOTERS can obain blanks for that purpose at the TIMES office. All persons qualified to vote should see to it that their names are entered *now*. Workingmen, who cannot spare the time to go to the court room during working hours, can come to the TIMES' office between 6 and 7:30 p.m.

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Gas Fixtures.

Braden & Stamford have just imported a fine lot of gas fixtures which every one should see before going elsewhere.

Inspect the Lights.

The steamer Sir James Douglas will return from Baynes Sound about Saturday. She will immediately on her arrival prepare for a trip of inspection to Bonilla point and the other lighthouse down that way.

Concert in Aid of Tolmie Church.

A concert in aid of the building fund of the proposed new church at Tolmie, takes place this evening in the Tolmie school house, at 7:30. Entrance, 25cts. Several friends from the city are going to assist, and it is hoped all sympathisers will endeavor to attend.

Cleared Government Street.

A horse and buggy belonging to J. Haggerty made things lively on Government street this morning. The horse started from the Bank of B.C., where he was tied, and cleared a course across Government street and up Yates street. The buggy was slightly broken.

Committee Meetings.

A meeting of the cemetery committee was held last evening, where matters relating to interments were considered, and a report prepared for presentation to the council this evening.

The sewerage committee met this morning, and also prepared a report.

Artistic Work.

There is on view in Hibben & Company's window, a life-sized bust of the late Sir James Douglas, executed by Mr. E. A. Harris. The work was done from a photograph and is as perfect as possible. All those who knew Sir James say it is a splendid likeness of him. It is a plaster cast of a clay bust.

Death of Mr. Bayley's Brother.

Notice was recently received of the death of Captain Thomas Bayley, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, of heart disease, at the Bedford Hotel, London. Captain Bayley was a brother of Mr Bayley, the proprietor of the Half Way House on the Esquimalt road, to whom the announcement of his brother's death was a sad blow.

The Columbia Salmon Pack.

The Astorian says the slack catch continues. Not alone on the lower Columbia is scarcity of fish reported, but also in the middle Columbia. The fish wheels of the Cascade have no better luck than the seines lower down, or the gillnets and traps in this vicinity. A conservative estimate of the salmon pack of the Columbia River up to June 15, is 123,025 cases.

Salt Water Baths.

There is a scheme on foot to construct swimming baths at Oak Bay beach. The baths will be erected close to the tramway and will be open at least eight months in the year, and will be fitted up with all modern conveniences. Two days a week will be reserved for ladies between certain hours. The privliges of the baths will cost $10 per year, or $1.50 per month.

Inspection Tours.

Inspector of steamboats Thompson is now one of the busiest men in the city, his annual tours of inspection now being on. He returned from the North a few day ago, has been to Vancouver, and leaves to-morrow for the Fraser River to inspect the cannery steamers. He leaves during the first week in July for Kootenay, and all places in the interior where there are any steamers.

Rowling's Slate Quarry.

Operations have been commenced on the Rowling slate quarry, Howe Sound. The machinery, which was ordered some months ago, arrived from England a short time back, and is on the ground, ready for operations when required. One vein discovered is 120 feet wide, and is as fine slate as can be found anywhere. Mr. Rowling expects to have the slate on the market before long.

The Appeal Allowed.

A telegram received from Ottawa last evening stated that the appeal of Griffiths et al vs. Boscowitz had been allowed with costs against the defendant in the Supreme Court of Canada. The case is one that has been standing in the British Columbia courts for a long while. S. H. Blake, Q.C., appeared for the appellants and Eberts & Taylor; Hon. Theo. Davie, Q.C., represented the defendant.

Police Invited to New Whatcom.

Policeman McDonald received a letter to-day from D. McTaggart, street commissioner, and A. J. Lawrence, chief of police, of New Whatcom, inviting him and the Victoria police to visit them on the 4th of July and participate in the festivities of the day. The invitation was sent to Mr. McDonald as during the Queen's birthday celebration they had been under his charge and had received many courtesies from him.

Northern Excursion.

The steamer Mexico will arrive at the outer wharf about 7 o'clock to-morrow morning and leave again at 10 for Alaskan ports. She already has a large excursion party on board, and besides that a large number came over on the Kingston last night to catch her, and there will also be a good crowd from Victoria. Every berth has been taken and still all have not been accommodated, and arm chairs will be at a premium.

First Sealer Arrives.

S. Baxter's sealing schooner Teaser, Captain Quinn, arrived in Seattle yesterday, being the first sealer to come in this season. Captain Quinn reports having experienced very rough weather. The greater part of the time was spent around Neah bay, and while there was an abundance of seals, the catch was hardly up to the average, owing to the unfavorable weather. Her whole catch for the season, Mr. Baxter said, amounted to 300 skins.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

A Neat Residence.

Messrs. Hall & Douglas are just putting the finishing touches to a neat two-story house on Boyd street for T. G. Tiarks. The house is of Elizabethian style, elaborately finished inside.

Tame Game.

A number of deer have been lately scouting around Gordon Head locality breaking in on cultivated fields and generally disporting themselves about, gratis. This is probably the nearest display of the animals to Victoria.

Y.P.A. Picnic.

The picnic that was to have been held by the Y.P.A. of the First Presbyterian Church up at the Gorge on Monday, but was postponed, will be held this evening. Boats will leave Jones' boat house at 7:30. No doubt all well loaded.

McCoskrie & Goddard.

Mr. Goddard, recently of Hooper & Goddard, architects, has formed a partnership with Mr. McCoskrie, also a well-known architect. The firm will be a strong one, and we have no doubt will secure a fair share of business in its line.

Arrival of New Books.

The Public Library this morning received about 100 new books, consisting of some of the latest novels, biographies, histories and scientific works. The books are a gift to the library by some of its friends and cost over $100 of which sum Mr. R. Finlayson, J.P., contributed $40.

Gordon Head District.

The election for school trustees was held on Monday when Wm. Dean, John Vantreight and Wm. Grant were appointed. It was afterwards decided to shortly advertise for a school teacher, and that qualifications and experience being equal, preference would be given, at least for the present, to a female instructor.

The Whyte Defalcation.

There is nothing new in the Whyte affair. The amount of Whyte's deficiency is estimated to be very large, and it is expected that in one or two directions it is so carefully covered up that it will be impossible to accurately estimate the loss. But it will not now be a matter for surprise if his defalcations aggregate over $25,000.

Strawberries and Music.

The choir of St. Andrew's Parish Church are making grand preparations for their strawberry and musical festival. Under Mr. Fenwick we may expect the above talented choir to give the public an excellent programme, and a general good time may be expected, as everything to make the evening lively and interesting will be done.

"One of the Suckers."

A gentleman who signs himself "One of the Suckers," has addressed a letter to the TIMES office, giving a list, as far as he knows, of those who were "taken in" by Haggart and Howard, the two barbers who are now in jail at Portland for skipping out from Victoria. The amount given is about $550, which shows how an unlimited amount of cheek will carry men through the world.

Maple Leaf League.

There is a movement on foot in Montreal to perpetuate the name of Sir John Macdonald by establishing an organization to be known as the Maple Leaf League of Canada, on the same principle as the Primrose League of Great Britain, namely, the maintenance of the Empire, upholding of religion, etc. It is also proposed that June 6th be observed as a national holiday as a commemoration of the late premier, and that every member of the league on that day wear a maple leaf, etc. It is proposed that ladies should take a prominent part in the organization.

Comox News.

P. D. Formes, of Tacoma, who has been at Comox for some time superintending the construction of a steamer for Angus Fraser, arrived in town last evening after completing his work. He says that the little steamer, which has been christened Courie May, will be one of the fastest crafts of her size in these parts, and will be able to show some larger ones her heels. She is 62 feet long by 15 feet beam, and Mr. Forbes says she can make 18 knots an hour. She was launched on Thursday last. Mr. Forbes says everything in the neighborhood of Comox is looking good. Crops are first class and lumbering is booming. Messrs. Angus Fraser and McDonald will each take out about 10,000,000 feet this summer.

In the Police Court.

When the police court was called to order this morning a pleasant-faced but ashamed-looking young man stepped forward and pled guilty to being drunk. He paid a $5 fine and left the court-room with an air of "you will never see me here again." One of the two hack drivers that had a fight on Government street a few days ago, pled guilty and was fined $10 and costs. The other has left the city and two warrants were issued for his arrest in the hope he may hear of it and never return. The last two cases before the court were two residents of cribs on Broad street, who had been making their presence and occupation too public. They were each fined $50 which they had no trouble in producing.

Half Holiday in Westminster.

On Saturday evening last a meeting of merchants was held at the Hotel Douglas, to consider the question of a general half holiday. The attendance says the Columbian, was much smaller than it should have been, but that was probably owing to the fact that Saturday night is the busiest of the week. Mr. G. W. Walker was elected chairman and Mr. H. T. Read, secretary. It was decided to send postal cards to all business men in the city, asking their opinion on the subject, and wishing them to state on what day they thought the half holiday should be held. Another meeting has been called for Friday evening next, when it is hoped all the replies will have been received. The movement will have to be unanimous, otherwise the scheme will fall through.

Looking Well.

M. King, of the firm of King & Casey, loggers, has returned from a trip to the northern logging camps. He says all the men at the camps are working steady and doing well. He never saw things looking better around Comox, a few showers lately having done the crops any amount of good.

Union Picnic.

The Presbyterian Sabbath Schools at Esquimalt, Victoria West and Cedar Hill will join the Union Picnic to Langford Plains on Dominion Day.

To-Night.

The boating party of the Young People's Literary Association of the First Presbyterian Church, which was postponed last Monday evening, will take place this evening, leaving Jones' boat-house at half-past 7 o'clock.

Anderson-Renouf.

A quiet wedding was celebrated in the Church of England Mission, Victoria West, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, the contracting parties being Mr. H. Anderson, Government agent, Kootenay, and Miss Renouf, Rev. Barber tied the nuptial knot in presence of several intimate friends of the couple. Mr. A. Anderson, of Nanaimo, supported the groom, the Misses Gaudin being the bridesmaids. After the ceremony the party drove to the residence of Captain Gaudin, where a wedding dinner was in readiness. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson leave this evening for their new home in Kootenay carrying with them the best wishes of all.

Sunday Closing in Tacoma.

The effect of Sunday closing at Tacoma cannot have been very edifying to Sabbatarians. Parties affected by the closing vented their spleen by posting notices on the outer walls of their places of business. The following extracts are the most suggestive. Says a saloon keeper, evidently, "If you want to get soda water, you can get it at Stewart's drug store, next door." Another announces that he has "Gone to Seattle to get a drink," and another that he has "Gone to church this a.m. Going fishing this p.m. Will dance all night, and to-morrow morning will be on hand at the old stand, where my customers will be treated just as well as if I had not lost my Sunday trade." Then there was a fling at side-door saloon business. One store announced its closure and its facilities for still doing its trade in the following words: "Closed to day. Give three taps on the side door, and we do the rest." The druggists state that they have no reason to complain of Sunday closing. Their prescription trade was exceptionally large, and curiously worded, the majority of them reading as follows: "Varia vinum quantum sufficit." The demand for cigars was very large, some of the druggists selling fully 100 per cent. more than they usually do on Sunday.

Firemen's Tournament.

A letter was received this morning from President Worsley, of the North-western Firemen's Association, which reads as follows:

"I was much pleased to hear through Secretary Watts that Victoria had made up her mind to entertain the firemen of the coast in their city and had accepted the proposal to have the convention and tournament of 1891 there. I am satisfied that a grand success is assured for the meeting, for the hospitality of our English friends is proverbial and I can assure you that on my part, as the President of the Association, I will do all I can to make the meeting the largest and most successful of any we have ever held. A successful meeting of the Association means to all its officers a lot of continuous hard work and they are all able and willing to do their share; but above all for a successful and beneficial meeting of the firemen of the Pacific coast at any city means for the officers of the department of whom they will be the guests a ponderous amount of unceasing labor, and still when done in a proper manner it becomes a pleasure. I enclose you a telegram we received from Vancouver and you can see how they wanted us to come there. I informed them that we had accepted the hospitality of Victoria. Get your committee to work on finances and get your prizes guaranteed. We can then go to work and do our part. B. S. WORSLEY.

COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Vancouver, B.C., May 30, 1891.

C. W. Watts, Albany—Vancouver offers $150 for Firemen's Tournament on July 1st. Can you manage for Association to accept. Answer quickly. D. OPPENHEIMER, Mayor.

Is the Agreement a Hoax?

Still no advices have reached Victoria, officially or otherwise, corroborating the published statement that the British and United States Governments had agreed to close Behring Sea.

Collector of Customs Milne states that all he knows about the subject is what he has seen in the papers, and he has not yet received a word of advice concerning it from the Minister of Marine at Ottawa.

United States Consul Myers is in a similar position, not having heard a word from his government, although naturally expecting a communication on the subject.

Collector of Customs Bradshaw, of Port Townsend, was in Victoria to-day, and when asked about the matter, said that he knew nothing except what he had read in the papers, but had expected to have received directions from Washington from the Secretary of the Treasury before this. When he left Port Townsend last evening, he directed his deputy to cable to him anything that arrived concerning the matter, but nothing has been received.

The owners of the sealing vessels are beginning to get incredulous as to the truth of the agreement, and if it is true, it was made public prematurely. They are growing in the belief that it is all a hoax, gotten up by their enemies below the line, who knew that the steamer Danube was about to start north with supplies, and that the report was started to stop her or let her give false reports to the sealers when she meets them so as to make them timid and interfere with their catch.

Commander of the "Calliope."

There has been a great deal of talk caused by the delay in giving Captain Kane his C.B. It will be remembered that he was in command of the "Calliope," at Samoa, and he was the only captain who saved his steamer. It is said the reason for the distinction not being conferred on him—and it ought to have been long ago—is to be sought in jealousy. The admirers of the gallant officer will be glad to learn that he has entirely recovered from the accident which happened to him and he is now in command of the "Inflexible" which is attached to the Mediterranean squadron.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Citizens of Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster.

Prof. F. D. Seward the eminent scientific optician, of New York, will close his office in Victoria next week, and will stop for a short time at Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster.

During his sixteen weeks stay in Victoria, Prof. Seward has accomplished a work never before equalled in the Dominion of Canada, not only in adjusting eye-glasses and spectacles to ordinary eyesight, but in fitting artificial eyes, cataract glasses and making of special lenses for double vision, astigmatism, and other defects that could never before be benefitted by any optician in the Dominion at any price, as an expert optician, Prof. Seward has no equal in Canada, and no superior in the United States, therefore the opportunity now being afforded the citizens of the Dominion should be taken advantage of by every one needing artificial aid to the eyesight.

Nanaimo office will be at the Windsor Hotel.

Office hours while in Victoria, 9 a. m. to 5 p.m., corner Yates and Douglas streets, over drug store.

Rev. Mr. Knowles Inducted.

Ottawa Free Press: The Presbytery of Ottawa met yesterday in the school room of Bank Street Presbyterian church, when the Rev. Mr. Knowles, of Manitoba College, Winnipeg, passed his examination satisfactorily. A meeting of the congregation of Stewarton church, to which Mr. Knowles is appointed, was held in the evening at the same place. The Rev. W. T. Herridge presided and conducted the opening services. The Presbytery was then constituted, the Reverend Mr. Demster, of Hull, acting as moderator. The Rev. Mr. Knowles was duly ordained and inducted, after which he was addressed by the Rev. Dr. Moore. Rev. Dr. Armstrong delivered an address to the congregation, and Mr. Knowles was introduced to the people by Rev. Dr. Moore. Mr. Knowles, it will be remembered, relieved Rev. Mr. McRae, of this city, when the latter was absent in the East two years ago.

Swearing Vicariously.

Lord Coleridge, as well as the counsel in the Gordon Cumming suit, had a somewhat delicate task to discharge when the heir to the throne was summoned as a witness under such embarrassing circumstances. English judges, as a rule, hold toadyism in contempt, and the justice which they administer has become proverbial for impartiality. It is related that some years ago when a fresh judicial appointment was made which gave little satisfaction to either bench or bar from the exceptional tuft hunting proclivities of the new judge, a learned colleague of the Lord Chief Justice came into court excited and angry. On Lord Coleridge asking him what the matter was, he used language which was more forcible than polite. After he had cursed the new judge for some moments with a heartiness that increased as he gave vent to his disgust, the Chief Justice, blandly smiling, begged him to repeat what he had said: "I am not in the habit of swearing myself," he explained, "and I am afraid I could not do it as effectively as the occasion warrants. But I shall have much satisfaction in having you do it for me, if you will be so kind. Repeat it all, pray, and I will say 'Amen' with the utmost good will." This request was as characteristic of Lord Coleridge (who is staid and dignified) as the exuberance of the vituperation was of his colleague, Sir William Grove.

The Barings.

The balance sheet of the Barings, as issued recently, was a great disappointment. It shows outstanding liabilities to be £7,508,600 of which £7,335,973, is due to the Bank of England. Against this there are realizable assets, such as money at call, bills receivable, remittances to come forward, partners, estates and due from foreign governments and other debtors, amounting in all to £2,859,779. The remaining assets are in securities, most of them Argentine. Securities other than South American figured at £1,100,000. Uruguayan securities of £5,786,298. This leaves an apparent surplus of £3,526,400, but the value of the securities is calculated on the basis of prices ruling on October 31, 1890, since which time many of them have declined to one-half of their former price. On the basis of recent market quotations, which are, however, mostly nominal, the Uruguayan securities can hardly be worth more than £1,500,000. Of the Argentine securities nearly £2,750,000 is supposed to be in the Buenos Ayres water works scheme, the present market value of which is £1,750,000 less than last October. Taking the balance of the Argentines as being worth half the prices current in last October, which is much above what they could be sold at now, the nominal surplus would be more than wiped out. The bank has until October 15, 1893, to complete the liquidation, but it may call upon the guarantors whenever in the opinion of the governors the liquidation has gone as far as it is practicable.

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LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Grey vs. McCallum.—Application to examine E. M. Johnson.—Granted. F. G. Walker for plaintiff, E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

Brennan vs. Conlin.—Application to transfer papers to New Westminster.—Granted. A. L. Belyea for plaintiff, D. M. Eberts for defendant.

SUPREME COURT.

The case of Turner vs. Prevost was up in the supreme court to-day, when the examination of between 40 and 50 witnesses was commenced. The case will probably last three days. Judge Drake presided, and the following lawyers were engaged: F. G. Walker and A. St. G. Hamersley for plaintiffs, C. E. Pooley for Capt. Power, George Jay for Prevost, and Chas. Wilson for Bridges. The following gentlemen composed the special jury: Wm. Fisher (foreman), John Braden, J. Russell, R. Wilson, Elford, G. Mesher, L. B. Trimen and Geo. Stewart.

Another large consignment of those extra value men's $2.50 laced and Congress Shoes; also $2.00 Oxford, just received at the One Price Cash House of Carmichael & Paterson, 35 Johnson street.

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"Besanf," the Colonel said, "I am obliged to detach a man on special and I am afraid dangerous duty, and Major Hopkins agrees with me that no one is more fitted for our purpose than yourself. I would not voluntarily place you in peril, but the exigencies of the service are such that I have no alternative—nevertheless, you shall have the opportunity of refusing, if you think the mission too difficult for you to accomplish."

The Colonel, who was evidently ill at ease, panned for his reply.

"Well, sir," Frank said, thoroughly mystified, "I don't suppose I am more ready of comprehension than my comrades, but I could perhaps give you an intelligent answer, if you would kindly explain to me the nature of the undertaking."

"Just so, boy. Really, Hopkins, I think my wits have gone a wool-gathering to-night. Well, the fact is, young man, I've got to send a message in hot haste to General Lyon. The trouble is that most of our young officers are poor horsemen, and this duty includes a long and breakneck ride over a rough country. Now a man from your county—Lawson, I think they call the fellow—says you ride like a centaur, so this, with your other qualities we are more familiar with, has driven us to offer you the post of danger."

"And of honor," Major Hopkins added solemnly. "There will be quick promotion for you, lad, if you are successful."

Both officers looked wistfully for his reply.

"Of course I will go, sir," Frank said, curtly. "When do you wish me to start?"

"Spoken like the brave boy I knew you were!" the Major said, with enthusiasm. "Why, do you know, Besant, I have had the greatest difficulty in persuading the Colonel to give you this chance. He was so afraid of seeming ungrateful for the services you have rendered his son—just as if the highest prize to a lad of your mettle was not the post of danger."

Frank did not, it must be confessed, keenly appreciate the Major's logic; but while he had no foolhardiness in his disposition, he was resolved that he would at all hazards do his duty, for his was not one of those dashing spirits that loved danger for danger's sake, though when necessitous peril came he would be the last to shrink from it.

"You must be ready to start at the first glimmer of dawn," the Colonel continued. "You will carry no arms but these revolvers." He laid his hand as he spoke on two heavy pistols, which were on his camp-table. "You will bear no written message, which might get you into trouble if you were caught by the enemy. And you will ride the best part of the journey in company with a young farmer, who has promised to be your guide—at any rate as far as the Springfield pike, which will lead you to General Lyon's headquarters. As for money, you had better go well heeled, for a silver shield is often a man's best protection."

He pulled out his purse as he spoke.

"Don't mind that, sir," Frank said, hastily. "I have more about me now than it is perhaps prudent for me to carry."

"Well, spare no expense. You shall not be the loser. Now to rest, for you will have a heavy day before you. I will see you in the morning and give you final instructions."

And the last words Frank heard as he left the Colonel's tent were:

"If any thing happens to that boy, Hopkins, I shall never forgive myself."

Cold and gray the morning broke, though it was in early August. Frank

YOU WILL CARRY NO ARMS BUT THESE REVOLVERS.

had slept the sleep of the weary, and it seemed to him as if he had not lain on his blanket more than a short hour when an orderly roused him for the day's adventures.

He sought at once the Colonel's tent, where he found a good meal awaiting him, which he had hardly dispatched when Colonel Fulton himself entered.

"Now," he said, "for your instructions. Ride your hardest, but do not kill your horse by overdoing it. Avoid, as far as you can, all villages. And, when you reach General Lyon, tell him that *we are coming*. That is all. Go now, and God be with you!"

Frank followed the orderly to a clump of trees a quarter of a mile from the camp, where he found a rough young country fellow standing beside two serviceable-looking horses, of the breed that has made Western Missouri famous—light, strong, wiry animals, sure-footed as mules and gifted with an endurance rivaling that of the steed of the Arabs. The man himself was the typical product of the soil—a hardy, sun-burnt fellow, with long flowing black locks, dressed in homespun, wearing long cowhide boots, and carrying at his waist a belt equipped with a small arsenal of pistols and ammunition—not at all the kind of gentleman a nervous traveler would care to meet on a lonely road, though there were few honester young fellows, as times went, than Richard Swayne.

The Westerner eyed the soldier with a keen glance of criticism, as he looked to the trappings of the horse allotted him, tightened the girth of the saddle, adjusted the stirrup-leathers and mounted.

"Shake!" he said, laconically, stepping up to Frank's side and stretching forth a big, brown, scarred hand, whose horny cuticle would have puzzled the modern philosopher of palmistry.

Frank grasped the proffered hand with eagerness. Each read in the other's eye a true patent of nobility.

"My name's Dick Swayne," the brawny young farmer exclaimed. "What's your'n?"

"Frank Besant."

No time nor need of further words. Swayne sprang to the saddle and led the way at a brisk gait, half-trot, half-canter, which the horses seemed to take of their own accord. From the start the roads were execrable, if you could dignify by the name of roads the thin beaten tracks which lay across the wooded ridges, and which never seemed to turn aside for any obstacle less formidable than a precipice, now climbing till the horse had literally to scramble for a footing, now speeding over declivities so steep that Frank, with all his skill in horsemanship, expected to find himself flying over the beasts' ears at every step he took.

"Ketch hold o' the pommel o' yer saddle ef yer mus' claw onter suthin', young feller; fur thet mare's mouth ain't no hitchin' post," Swayne admonished his companion, as they reached the top of an unusually steep ascent.

Frank accepted the reproof gracefully.

"It's the most villainous road I ever traveled in my life—but say, friend Dick, are these poor beasts to keep this pace up much longer? It seems to me as though they'd drop in their tracks if we don't ease 'em up a bit; why, we must have put a dozen miles between us and the camp already."

Dick grinned.

"Saddle's gettin' kin' o' hot?" he queried. "Wal, we'll hev ter take a spell o' rest daown i' th' dip yonder, fur thar's a skeary stretch o' kentry before us which it won't do ter travel over with winded hosses."

"You mean that there is danger of falling into the hands of the enemy."

"Yaas, the meanest, bloodiest, dog-gonedest kin' o' an enemy, too. Hev yer never heerd tell ov the gorillas?"

"The guerrillas! What, have you them in this part of the State?"

"Hev we? Why, they swarm over the hull kentry. Wait till we tether the hosses under the walnuts yonder an' I'll tell yer what they've done to me an' mine."

They rode slowly to the clump of trees, where they dismounted.

"You stretch yer legs a bit, Frank, while I tend to the cattle," the farmer said, taking at the same time from his pocket a handful of rolled tobacco leaves, which it were indeed a compliment to call cigars, but which Frank found on a further acquaintance were more palatable than their appearance seemed to justify.

Swayne evidently believed that a merciful man is merciful to his beasts. It was an interesting sight to watch the tender care he took of them, to see him strip their saddles off, cut whisps of long grass and rub them down till they were as dry as when they left the stable in the morning. Not till they were quite cool did he lead them to the little stream and let them drink their fill of the clear water; and then from his saddle-bags he took a few handfuls of oats and gave them to them. But it was not until they had eaten this and he had hobbled their forelegs and allowed them to crop the scant grass that he thought of his own and his companion's comfort.

"Now, mate, let's squat here an' take a bite ourselves." Saying which, he flung himself upon the turf and brought from one of his capacious pockets a roll of greasy paper, which contained several huge slices of bacon placed not over-temptingly between thick chunks of hard, dry hominy cakes. In vain Frank tried to tempt him with the contents of his own saddle-bags, the young Missourian declaring that hog and hominy was the only food for man.

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Proxy forms may be obtained from the undersigned at 46 Fort Street, corner of Broad Street.

B. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., June 10th, 1891. je11-td

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between Robert Jamieson, Plaintiff,
William Whyte, Defendant.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named plaintiff has commenced action against you, the above named defendant to recover the sum of $229.75, being due on promissory note made by you and goods sold and delivered and further take notice that an order was made on the 9th day of June instant by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake that service of a copy of the writ of summons herein and of the said order on your wife or if she cannot be found in the City of Victoria then by posting a copy of the said writ and order in a conspicuous place on your residence and by inserting an advertisement of this notice in the Daily Evening TIMES newspaper; and that you are required to appear herein within eight days from the date hereof shall be good and sufficient service of the writ of summons herein.

C. C. PEMBERTON, Solicitor for the Plaintiff

To William Whyte, the above-named defendant.

Dated at Victoria this 9th day of June, 1891.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between Kingham and Minor, Plaintiffs, and William Whyte, Defendant.

TO WILLIAM WHYTE OF THE CITY OF Victoria, Accountant, take notice that the above named Plaintiffs have commenced an action against you the above named Defendant to recover the sum of $1,750.00 being amount due on a promissory note made by you in favor of the Plaintiffs.

And further take notice that an order was made on the 11th day of June 1891 by the Honorable Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Kt., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of British Columbia that service of a copy of the writ of summons herein and of the said order on your wife or if she cannot be found in the City of Victoria then by posting a copy of this order and the said writ of summons in a conspicuous place on your residence at No. 121 Richardson street in the said City of Victoria and by inserting an advertisement of the commencement of this action and a notice of the said order in the VICTORIA DAILY EVENING TIMES newspaper and that you are required to appear to the said writ of summons within eight days from the date hereof shall be good and effectual service of the said writ of summons.

Yours, etc., H. M. EBERTS, Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

To WILLIAM WHYTE, the above named Defendant.

Dated at Victoria, this 13th day of June, 1891

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between J. D. Pemberton and F. B. Pemberton, doing business together under the firm name of Pemberton & Son, Plaintiffs, and
William Whyte, Defendant.

To William Whyte, of the City of Victoria, Accountant—

TAKE NOTICE, that the above-named plaintiffs have commenced action against you, the above named Defendant, to recover the sum of $675.00, being balance due on two promissory notes made by you.

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Saturday, 4th July, 1891

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President.

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Picnic under the auspices of the Saanich Agricultural Society.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 12 o'clock noon, June 30, for the purchase of lot (80x90 feet) on the southeast corner of Chatham street and Blanchard avenue. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For particulars apply to O. C. Hastings, or address P.O. Box 109. je6td

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Notice of Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

J. A. LAWRENCE AND G. A. McCULLOCH have this day dissolved partnership. G. A. McCulloch will continue the business, collecting all accounts due and paying all liabilities of the late firm.

J. A. LAWRENCE,
G. A. McCULLOCH.

Witness—F. COUSINS.

Victoria, B.C., June 10th, 1891.

J. A. LAWRENCE takes this opportunity of thanking the public for the liberal patronage extended to him in the past, and hopes for a continuance of the same for his successor.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Re Solomon A. Copeland, Deceased, Reid vs. Copeland and others.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AND demands against the estate of Solomon A. Copeland, deceased, late of Victoria, are to send in by post prepaid to Messrs. Eberts & Taylor, 30 Langley street, Victoria, solicitors for the Plaintiffs, full particulars of their claims and demands, duly authenticated on or before the 8th day of July, 1891, otherwise the same will be excluded.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Registrar.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1891. jul5-td

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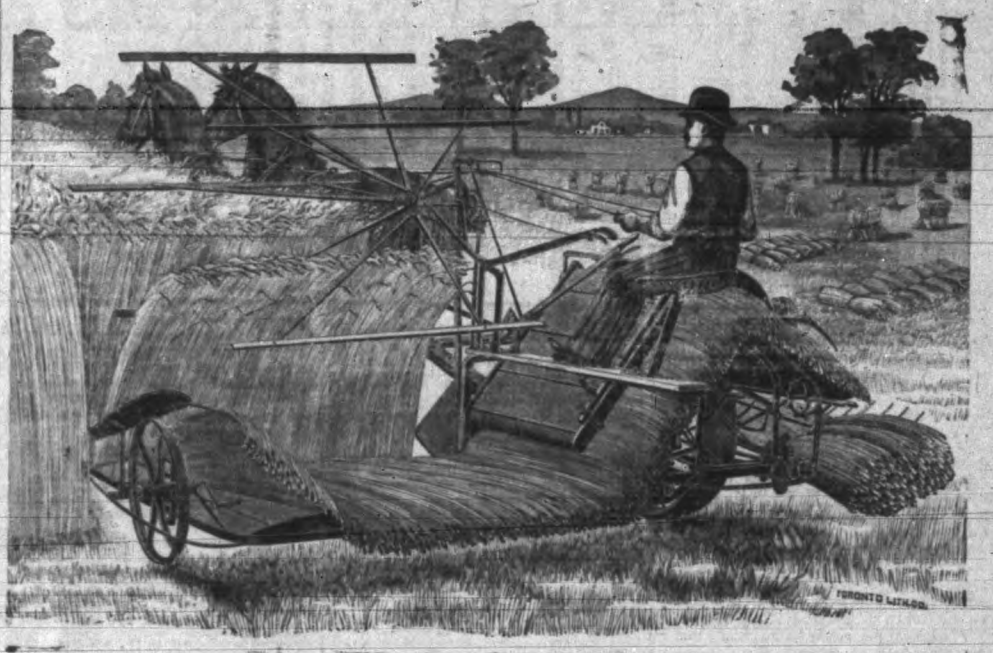
SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Dec. 30.



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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situated in Coast District and described as follows:—Commencing at a stake marked M.K.M., about a half mile from the south-east corner of lot 49, range 5, Coast District, on the Hoosalt River; thence running west 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east to the Hocksall River, and thence along the said River to the place of beginning.

M. K. MORRISON.

Port Essington, 6th June, 1891. 2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land:—Commencing at the Balmoral Canning Co.'s S.E. corner post; thence north twenty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence south twenty chains; thence following the bank of the Ecstall River to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less. (Signed) JNO. FLEWIN.
DONALD MORRISON.

Port Essington, June 3, 1891. je11

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Lots 175 and 176 in the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES OF INdefeasible title of James Douglas, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned lots, dated the 15th day of April, 1861, have been lost, and application has been made for duplicates of such certificates, notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicates will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 4th June, 1891. je4-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

LOT 16 VICTORIA CITY.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above lot will be issued to William Wilson on the 7th day of August, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 8th May, 1891. my6-3m

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm

Victoria Dec. 11, 1890. de12-y

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The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

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J. W. Winnett, sole agent for the Dominion Building and Loan Association of Toronto, can be seen at the above address, from whom full information can be obtained as to the working of this Association.

WEATHER REPORT.

Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E. VICTORIA, B.C., June 17, 1891.

	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
1 p.m	62.0	29.98	S by W	Cloudy
6 p.m	64.0	29.92	" N'rly	Overcast
10 p.m	62.0	29.80	"	
1 a.m	57.0	29.71	E by N	Cloudy
1 p.m	62.0	29.83	SW by W	

Temperature—Highest, 64, lowest, 57.
Rain 0.04 inches.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.

For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. June 17, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.

TUESDAY, June 16.				WEDNESDAY, June 17.			
H.	Tide ft above datum	H.	Tide ft above datum.	H.	Tide ft above datum.	H.	Tide ft above datum.
1	4.92	8	6.73	1	7.25	8	4.16
2	4.94	9	7.50	2	6.66	9	4.09
3	4.92	10	7.83	3	5.75	10	5.08
4	5.00	11	7.62	4	4.83	11	5.50
5	5.16	12	7.33	5	4.25	12	5.66
6	5.02			6	3.92	1	5.75
7	5.25			7	3.92		

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Bark Lenora is at Port Angeles waiting for a tug.

Bark Luise Martan is loading lumber at the Ross-McLaren mill.

Steamer Mystery came in this morning after landing a survey party at Fort Rupert and another at Quadsina Sound.

Steamer Harry Lynn is to make regular trips between here and Roche Harbor, leaving here every Tuesday morning.

To-day the steamer Rainbow loaded a large quantity of naval stores and transferred them to the naval yards at Esquimalt. She will return to-morrow and on Friday will start for the northern logging camps.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

D. E. Brown, of Vancouver, is in town.

N. P. Snowden arrived from the Sound last evening.

J. C. Tunstall and wife, of Kamloops, are in the city.

Hon. D. W. Higgins returned from the Sound last evening.

P. Murphy is up from San Francisco on his usual summer visit.

Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson returned from the Mainland last night.

S. A. Spencer came down by the Mystery this morning from Alert Bay.

Dr. A. E. Vrooman, wife and family arrived from San Francisco yesterday.

Mrs. W. Powell and family, of East Berkley, California, are visiting in the city.

Chas. Gregg has severed his connection with the Driard to enter A. B. Gray's office.

Chief engineer W. G. Parsons, late of the Esquimalt naval yard, has been appointed to the new battle ship Empress of India.

Mr. E. W. Thomson, formerly of the Toronto Globe, and the most successful Canadian writer of short stories, will take up his residence in Boston this week. Mr. Thomson will take charge of a department in a leading weekly journal there, probably the Youth's Companion.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Read Erskine's add on fine shoes. *

The telegraph wires were down this afternoon.

A concert will be held in aid of the Tolmie church this evening.

Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers and Water Filters, at Weiler Bros. *

Owing to the fact that the Beaconsfield Club have their picnic at Cadboro Bay next Sunday, the outing of the B. C. Spiritualists' Society has been postponed until the 28th inst.

Segners Council No. 85, Y.M.I., will elect officers next Monday evening.

Fruit Jars, Preserve and Butter Crocks, in great variety, at Weiler Bros. *

The city of Puebla brought up 233 tons of freight for Victoria and 48 for Vancouver.

For a 25 cent meal go to the Dominion Hotel. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

Seattle sent an invitation to the Victoria firemen to compete in their hose races on 4th July.

A carload of reed and rattan Furniture, Perambulators, etc., just received by Weiler Bros. *

Far West Lodge K. of P., will meet on Friday evening to complete arrangements for Decoration Day.

C. Dubois Mason, barrister and solicitor, has temporarily removed to No. 6 Bastion square.

The firemen have been invited to attend the celebrations at Port Angeles and Seattle on the 4th of July.

If you want the finest dress suit, call on Simpkins & Simpson, 86 Government street.

Among the telegrams of sympathy received by Lady Macdonald was one from Mr. T. B. Hall, of this city.

Delegates will be present from Victoria at the re-union of the Y. M. I. to be held in Seattle on the 4th of July.

Capt. Lawrence, of the tug Pilot, who returned from the Cape yesterday says that seals are very plentiful out there.

The party who robbed Jas. Porter's house at Colwood on Sunday, is supposed to have taken the Sound boat on Sunday night.

A small house on Pandora street, just above Douglas, is being removed to make room for a brick addition to L. Dickinson's block.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M. is to be held at Kamloops and the following members leave Victoria to be present: Grand Master A. McKeown, Grand Treasurer H. F. Heisterman, Grand Secretary W. J. Quinlan, District Deputy Grand Master Geo. S. Russell, Dixi H. Ross, A. R. Milne, J. E. Phillips, B. Williams and W. R. Brown.

The Naval Manœuvres.

The Naval Record says: The coming naval mobilization, so far as Portsmouth is concerned, will consist almost exclusively of cruisers. The only battleship available is the Nile, and it and the protected cruiser Pallas, though taking part in the manœuvres, will be independently commissioned—the former to relieve the Benbow in the Mediterranean, and the latter to become the senior officer's ship on the new Pacific station. The ships, which will temporarily hoist the pennant for the first time, are the Barham, Bellona, and Barrosa, and to these will be added the Glatton, Iris, and Rattlesnake. The Minotaur, now ready for sea, would require too large a complement for the steam reserve, depleted as it is, to provide; and the Galatea will not be out of the dockyard hands for some time to come. In this enumeration the ships of the channel, training, and coastguard squadrons, which are in ordinary commission, are not included. The Pallas is a twin-screw vessel of 8 guns, 2575 tons and 7500 horse-power.

His Humorous Faculty.

Thacher.—Nixon seems like such a dull sort of fellow. Does he ever crack a joke?

Boxton.—Has to—always. Can't see into it if he doesn't.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

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Instant Relief, Permanent Cure, Failure Impossible.

Many so-called diseases are simply symptoms of Catarrh, such as headache, partial deafness, loss of sense of smell, foul breath, hawking and spitting, nausea, general feeling of debility, etc. If you are troubled with any of these or kindred symptoms, you have Catarrh, and should lose no time in procuring a bottle of Nasal Balm. Be warned in time, neglected cold in head results in Catarrh, followed by consumption and death. Nasal Balm is sold by all druggists, or will be sent, post paid, on receipt of price (50 cents and $1.00) by addressing

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ON JULY 1st.

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Games for old and young will be provided, Baseball, Football, Races, etc., etc.

TICKETS FOR ADULTS..... $1.00
CHILDREN UNDER 14 YEARS.. 50

To be had from all the book stores, and from officers of the schools.

Lunch will be provided on the grounds.

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DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between Joe Macdonald and Henry Fry, the younger, under the firm name of J. Macdonald & Co., carrying on the business of general storekeepers, at Duncan's, B.C., was dissolved this day by mutual consent. The debts owing by the said firm will be paid by the said Joe Macdonald, to whom are to be paid all debts owing to the said firm.

Signed, JOE MACDONALD,
HENRY FRY, Jr.

Duncan's, June 16, 1891. je17-1m

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One span heavy horses, harness and wagon. Terms half cash, balance in wood, hay, oats, or approved note. Apply immediately to Johnston's Grocery, No. 30 Humboldt Street, Victoria.

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For Sale—Lot on Parry Street	93
For Sale—Lot on Chambers, head of Caledonia Avenue	92
For Sale—Lot, Victoria West, all clear	33
For Sale—Lot 40x120, Pandora Street	144
For Sale—Lot, South Turner Street	97
For Sale—2 lots, Simcoe Street, each	90
For Sale—Lot, Harrison Street	90
For Sale—Lot, St. Charles Street, fruit trees	90
For Sale—Lot, 60x135, Richmond Avenue	50
For Sale—Lot, Oak Bay Avenue	40
For Sale—Lot, Cadboro Bay Road	70
For Sale—2 lots, corner North Park and Cook	250
For Sale—Corner, water front on harbor	600
For Sale—Lot, 60x135, Pine Street	55

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